

To: Williams, Laura[williams.laura@epa.gov]
From: Stevenson, Peter
Sent: Tue 9/8/2015 1:13:15 PM
Subject: RE: Interim Guidance for Continuation of Work at SF Mining Sites

Please indicate your support for funding the following site activities the week of 9/28/15. These activities are necessary to be undertaken before winter sets in.

1. Illinois Gulch: We have two flumes in the warehouse that need to be installed before winter to measure flow from draining adits. CO. DRMS installs the flumes we purchased and I assist in the installation, which consists of lugging bags of cement to the adits, getting the flumes level, and securing them with soil and cement. The only costs associated with this activity are some minimal travel dollars and my time.
2. St. Kevin Gulch: DRMS is sampling the creek and monitoring wells in assorted draining adits (two of three adits have been drilled into and the third was just missed, with the associated well making good water). Characterization of these waters for low flow conditions is important in understanding the impact on surface waters. This mixed ownership site investigation is being led by CO. DRMS and they need help with the actual sampling of the waters. The only costs associated with this activity are some minimal travel dollars and my time. To date there are no other volunteers to assist DRMS with the sampling.
3. Boston and Colorado Smelter: This site sits in the center of the town of Alma near the town park and playground. The town supports the sampling activity and wants it done as soon as possible. I have obtained access from the assorted property owners for this year. The site contains no fluids and has visible contamination scattered over about 10 acres. The costs associated with this activity include some minimal travel dollars, my time, and 1 day of START support, most likely 1-2 personnel for that day. START has indicated they can meet the schedule.

If you can support the approval of the Travel Request, please let me know so I can modify this email and send it through you to Martin and then HQ. I will be onsite this week and early next week at the Tomichi Mill site and after that taking some leave.

From: Williams, Laura
Sent: Saturday, September 05, 2015 10:39 AM
To: Stevenson, Peter; Griswold, Hays

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Hays and Pete,

FYI, we'll need to do write-ups and get approval from HQ through Martin Hestmark if we want to conduct assessments or removals at mine sites (see memos attached). Of course, the first hurdle is to see if we have any funding available for you to do an assessment or removal ... currently, the only funds I have are for Gold King Mine and emergencies. We can see what we get in the new FY; however, I am not hopeful. - lw

From: Williams, Laura
Sent: Friday, September 4, 2015 12:57 PM
To: McComb, Martin
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new guidance that impacts Park City. We'll need to prepare. - lw

From: Ostrander, David
Sent: Friday, September 4, 2015 12:52 PM
To: Williams, Laura
Subject: FW: On Behalf of James E. Woolford...Interim Guidance for Continuation of Work at SF Mining Sites

From: Gartner, Lois
Sent: Friday, September 4, 2015 12:52:04 PM (UTC-07:00) Mountain Time (US & Canada)
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Cc: OSWER OSRTI OD Materials; Stanislaus, Mathy; Breen, Barry; Natarajan, Nitin; Cheatham, Reggie; Stalcup, Dana; Fitz-James, Schatzl; Hilosky, Nick; Brooks, Becky; Zaragoza, Larry; Mahmud, Shahid
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ON BEHALF OF JAMES E. WOOLFORD...

Regional Superfund Program Managers:

Please find attached a memorandum to you from Jim Woolford providing interim guidance for continuing work at Superfund mining and mineral processing sites. The memo also conveys information about OSRTI's ongoing efforts to develop a "master" list of Superfund mining sites.

If you have any questions about this memo or its attachment, please contact Dana Stalcup at 703-603-8702.

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